## **NEWS from**

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## Hansberger Increases Reward for Capture of Pi-Town Dog Slayer

At the recommendation of Third District Supervisor Dennis Hansberger, the Board of Supervisors on Tuesday approved a \$7,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for killing Brody, a black Labrador dog who was shot, execution-style, on February 25, 2008, on the property adjacent to the Pioneertown Motel. This amount is addition to a \$3,000 reward already being offered by the Humane Society of the United States, the Coalition to Protect Animal Rights In Entertainment, and the United Activists for Animal Rights, for a total of \$10,000.

"It is incomprehensible that a person would viciously kill an animal intentionally," said Supervisor Hansberger. "It scares me to think that there is a person out there carrying a gun, who could do such a thoughtless act again. This person needs to be caught and punished, and I hope this reward will reinvigorate the investigation and that someone will come forward who knows something."

The crime of cruelty to animals is a felony. Anyone with any information about this crime is asked to call the San Bernardino Sheriff's Department at 366-4175.